

DU Syndicate reiterates call to contain unrest

By Our DU Correspondent

Dhaka University Syndicate on Friday reiterated its call to the government and political parties to reach a national consensus to bring an end to prevailing unrest on the campus.

"The situation has turned grave and DU authority has no means at its command to face it" the Syndicate noted.

The call was made at a meeting of the Syndicate which was presided over by the Vice-Chancellor Prof. M. Maniruzzaman Miah. The Syndicate expressed concern over the five-hour long gun battle between the activists of two rival student organisations Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) and pro-Awami League Chhatra

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League (A-A) on Thursday night in an around the different students dormitories of the university.

The Syndicate said the university authorities decided to resume its classes in a non-violent posture of the activists of the rival student organisations but after reopening of the university exercise of arms among the armed hoodlums of the rival student organisations became a routine work.

"Even the armed hoodlums brandish their arms on the corridor of the university in the broad daylight" said the Syndicate.

The Syndicate blamed the leaders of the different student organisations for violating the understanding between the university authorities and leaders of the students organisations.

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